

FINDING OUR VOICE

Prelude

- * Call to Worship: "There is a Redeemer"
- * Songs of Praise:

"Sing, Sing, Sing"

"In Christ Alone / "The Solid Rock"

Prayer and Salutation

SHARING OUR HEARTS

Church Life Update

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

FOCUSING OUR THOUGHTS

* Song of Praise: "Abide With Me"

Children's Message with Vicki Victory

Prayer for Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: Ruth 4:1-22

Message: "Who Could Have Imagined?"

Prayer of Application

DEPARTING TO SERVE

* Benediction

* Song of Response: "Jesus Messiah"

* Postlude

* Please stand if you are able



Rev. Shawn Hulst

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>CANCELLATIONS</u>: The leadership of FRC has cancelled all FRC-sponsored events, including worship services, through April 12. We will continue to live stream our service at 8:30am with a rebroadcast at 11:00am. Staff can be contacted through email and phone.

BLOOD DONATIONS: Fellowship is having an emergency Blood Drive on Tuesday, April 7, from 10:00am-4:00pm. If you are able, please consider signing up to donate. Extreme measures are being taken to guarantee a sanitary environment. Sign up on our website and click on the Blood Drive icon. You can also contact Laurie Tornga at 669-2781 and she will schedule your appointment for you. Because of the need to guarantee a safe environment, we ask everyone to please have an appointment and avoid walking in.

PLANS FOR A NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY are being postponed. Pictures will now be taken in May 2021. Additional details will be provided early next year.

<u>6TH GRADE STUDENTS:</u> In light of the current health issues, our 6th Grade introduction to New Life Youth Ministries will now be held through Zoom! Join us on Wednesday, April 15, beginning at 8:00pm for some games and a glimpse of next year for you in New Life. Check out our website: frchudsonville.org/new-life for more details.

EASTER FLOWER ORDERS have been cancelled. Refunds will be available at the Information Desk when we return for worship.

INVITING ALL 4TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS AND PARENTS: On Wednesday, April 22, the Education and Discipleship Team is hosting Protect Young Eyes from 7:00-8:00pm. Protect Young Eyes is an organization seeking to help create safer digital spaces through an explanation of the latest digital trends, social media apps, and device parental controls. The first 30 minutes of the presentation will be for both students and parents. The last 30 minutes will be just for the parents. This presentation will have an emphasis on being proactive and is targeted at 4th-6th Grade students. However, all 4th-12th Grade students and parents will benefit and are encouraged to come.

OUR ANNUAL PINEWOOD DERBY has been postponed. We are hoping to reschedule this fun event either later this spring or sometime in the fall. If your child is working on a Pinewood Derby car and hasn't signed up to race yet, please contact Vicki Victory at vvictory@frchudsonville.org.

TIMBERWOLF SPRING CLEAN-UP: This event has been cancelled. It will not take place this year.

MYSTERY ISLAND VBS REGISTRATIONS: VBS is still planned for June 15-18 from 9:00am-12:15pm. Registrations for kids entering Kindergarten (age 5 by December 1, 2020) through 6th Grade are online only at frchudsonville.org/children. Registration will be limited to 900 children, so don't delay in signing up.

MYSTERY ISLAND VBS VOLUNTEERS: This will be an exciting week for hundreds of kids, both from FRC and from the greater Grand Rapids area. This means we will need hundreds of volunteers—and that means we need YOU! Please go to frchudsonville.org/children and click on "VBS." There will be a tab for you to click on to volunteer and a list of volunteer positions that need to be filled. Contact Vicki Victory at vvictory@frchudsonville.org with any questions.

YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

LEAD CAMP: Registration is open! We've extended our registration deadline to May 3. A decision will be made by June 1 to determine if Lead Camp should be canceled or not. In the case we do have to cancel, all money will be reimbursed.

YOUTH MINISTRY TEACHING: Watch the teaching, "Responding to the Unexpected," available on Sunday, April 5, at noon. Then join Brian and JD from 7:00-7:30pm on Sunday for a time of discussion. Go to frchudsonville.org/youth for details and links.

YOUTH MINISTRY ZOOM SMALL GROUPS: Leaders will be sending out invitations for weekly Zoom group meetings for you to connect with your friends and leaders.

YOUTH MINISTRY GAMES: Join us on Monday at 4:00pm and Thursday at noon for live virtual games. Links can be found at frchudsonville.org/youth.

YOUTH MINISTRY DAILY VIDEOS AND FUN CHALLENGES: Subscribe to our YouTube channel (FRC Hudsonville Student Ministries) for daily videos that include a verse of the day and a fun challenge for you to complete. Please share your pictures with us as other students and volunteers are doing.

YOUTH MINISTRY BIBLE READING PLAN: We'd love to have you join us in reading God's Word—sharing your comments, questions, or insights with us. Details and links are available at frchudsonville.org/youth.

<u>HANGING BASKET FUNDRAISER:</u> This is all-systems go. Work to sell those hanging baskets over your mandatory break by calling people you know. You'll be able to earn \$8 for every basket you sell, useable for any Youth Ministry function. Details are available online at frchudsonville.org/youth.

ADULT MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

YOUNG ADULTS' VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY: We are meeting online on Wednesday, April 8, at 8:30pm for a discussion on, "The One." Join us by going to frchudsonville.org/young-adults.

THE PILGRIM'S PROGRESS: The producers of "The Pilgrim's Progress" movie have, as a loving gesture during our current stay-at-home situation, released the film for use by everyone free of charge. You can view this at watchpilgrims.com. This offer is available to everyone through the month of April. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity.

ANXIOUS FOR NOTHING, FINDING CALM IN A CHAOTIC WORLD: The Adult Ministries Team would like to encourage everyone to consider joining Max Lucado for a free, five-week video Bible study entitled, "Anxious for Nothing." In this time of unprecedented circumstances, it is our prayer that this study will help you find peace and calm through an understanding of God's sovereignty over every aspect of His Creation and specifically your life. Begin your study today by going to faithgateway.com/anxious-for-nothing-obs-registration/.

<u>WANT MORE?</u> Just a reminder, the Adult Ministries Team is still offering enrichment articles each week that dig deeper into each Sunday morning's sermon topic. Go to the FRC website, click on *Media*, then on *Messages*, then simply click on the *Additional Articles* icon.

SPRING TRAINING: The dates were changed for the Men's Retreat at Grace Adventures. The new weekend will be October 30-November 1. If you are interested in joining the retreat, contact Nick Wabeke at 218-5083 or email nick.wabeke@gmail.com.

DISCIPLESHIP BLOG: This month's "My Story" testimonial posted in the Discipleship Blog will feature Matt Nederveld. The "My Story" testimonial appears on the first Monday of the month. It is then posted a week later under the *Resources* heading of our Fellowship website.

SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

<u>GOLF OUTING CHANGE THE DATE:</u> The Annual Couple's Golf Outing previously advertised for Saturday, August 22, at The Pines Golf Course had to be rescheduled. Mark your calendar instead for Saturday, August 8, at 4:30pm at Crestview Golf Course in Borculo. More details will be available this summer.

<u>THE CLAY SHOOT</u>, scheduled for May 2, has been cancelled. We are hoping to reschedule this event with a date in the fall.

2020 FINANCIAL REPORT

Budgeted Amount \$ 43,145.63 Last Week's Offering \$ 29,596.06 Shortage to Date \$ (95,437.32) Contributions to FRC can be made in four ways: Weekly Offerings during our Worship Services; Online Giving through Subsplash; Auto-Giving through your Bank; or Mailing a Check to the Church Address.

Thank You!

Church Telephone: 616.669.1213 Church Prayer Line: 616.669.5400
Bulletin Announcement Deadline: 4:00pm on Wednesday
Web Site: frchudsonville.org

Worship Times: 8:30am, 11:00am, and 6:00pm